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**Docket No. 15916-277**

**Applicant:** Jenkins et al.

**Serial No.:** 09/730,010

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**Title:** Loop Structure Including Inflatable Therapeutic Device

**Group Art Unit:** 3743

**Examiner:** Dagostino

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**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant petitions for a two-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding office action for the above-identified application. Our check for \$410 for the fee is enclosed. We authorize the Commissioner to charge any additional fees to our deposit account No. 50-0638.

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